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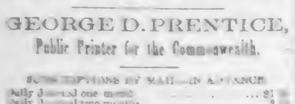

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☞ The following article on the Kentucky Agricultural College, the bill for the establishment of which has excited much discussion in our Legislature, is from the pen of a distinguished citizen of the State, and presents the subject in a clear, impartial, and forcible light. It will amply compensate a careful perusal:

KENTUCKY AGRICULTURAL COLLEGE—A FULL PRESENTATION OF THE SUBJECT.

FRANKFORT, Feb. 8, 1865.

To the Editor of the Louisville Journal.

There has been a studied attempt on the part of some to misrepresent the provisions of the bill, which has recently passed the General Assembly, establishing the Agricultural and Mechanical College of Kentucky. The House passed the bill by a vote of 49 to 17, and the Senate by a vote of 20 to 19. The discussion upon it in each House was full and extended, the ablest members on either body participating. It was discussed in the House in the Committee of the Whole, by Hon. M. C. Johnson, and Attorney-General Harlan on behalf of the Trustees of Kentucky University, and by Hon. Robert S. Marshall and James D. Hanson on behalf of certain citizens of Mercer. Having served in the House it was referred to the Judiciary Committee of the Senate who were engaged several days in hearing the evidence and arguments of counsel. The Senate after it was reported from that Committee spent a week in discussing it, before it was finally passed. It is well known to the members of the Legislature that the bill was not forced through either House.

As a matter of interest to your readers I send for publication the bill in reference to the Agricultural College. I trust then every citizen of the Commonwealth will read it, for all are deeply interested in the institution of learning that is to be established by this bill.

WHEREAS, The Trustees of the Kentucky University propose to cede their interest in the property, and franchises of said University, to the State, for the purposes of an Agricultural and Mechanical College, and to relieve the State from the payment of the annuity of $6,272 50 per annum, now paid to said University, by the payment to the Treasurer of the Commonwealth, for the use of said University, of the sum of sixty-two thousand seven hundred and fifty dollars, in full of all claims against the State; and

WHEREAS, The Trustees of the Kentucky University have proposed to convey to the State, to be used in such manner as the State may direct, the buildings, grounds, and appurtenances belonging to the Agricultural College, and the property of said College, now in the hands of the Treasurer of the Board of Trustees of the Kentucky University, and the Treasurer of said College, and the Librarian of the Kentucky University, and the Curator of the Museum of the Kentucky University, in accordance with the act of the Legislature and of Congress, *and subject to the territorial control of the State of Kentucky, in its organization and general management, and with the sole control by the State of its said fund in keeping the principal of the same perpetually safe and productive*; and

The act further provides that a majority of the professors of said college shall not, at any one time, belong to the same ecclesiastical denomination. The act further expressly provides that, "in the appointment of professors, instructors, and other officers and assistants of said college, and in procuring the stables and shrubbery, fixtures and [illegible] necessary for the management and government thereof, no partiality or preference shall be shown to one sect or religious denomination over another; nor shall anything sectarian be taught therein; and persons engaged in the conducting, governing, managing, or controlling said college and its studies and exercises, *in all its parts* are hereby constituted officers and agents of the whole Commonwealth, to faithfully and impartially carrying out the provisions of this act, for the common good, *irrespective of sects or party, political or religious*."

It will be thus seen that the Agricultural and Mechanical College of Kentucky is lifted high above all sectarian influences, and is in fact a free school for all the children of the Commonwealth. No part of the agricultural fund is devoted to building purposes, as provided by the act of Congress. It is used exclusively to sustain the State Agricultural College. Both the fund and the college are subject to the control and supervisory management of the State, through a Board of Visitors, to be appointed by the Governor.

The State, through the liberality of Transylvania and of Kentucky University, thus secures buildings, lands, &c., necessary for an Agricultural College without one cent's cost to the people, and she further secures for the children of the State access, free of charge, to all the departments of what is destined to be the finest University in the West.

The members of the General Assembly would have been strange men, indeed, had they permitted the pending session to close without accepting the generous offer of these two universities. An attempt was made to defeat the House bill by a proposition which came from Paris but a day before the bill passed the Senate to locate the Agricultural College at that point. But, upon investigation, the Paris proposition was found to be wholly impracticable, and was rejected by the Senate.

It is very clear, that, had the General Assembly declined to accept the House bill during the present session, it is more than probable that the benefit of the whole fund would have been lost to the State, since more than one-half of the time had already expired within which the college *must be provided*.

The writer can well imagine how certain persons should have been misled to write communications, which appeared in vene paper recently. There were some individuals who were bitterly opposed to the removal of Kentucky University from Harrodsburg, and they have, doubtless, been very busy in inducing members of the next Legislature to believe that the Agricultural College, which is to be established, is to be exclusively a sectarian institution for the benefit of the "Reformers." Those persons have been very busy in circulating the report that the Reformers were *using the State for their purposes*.

An examination, however, of the bill which actually passed will show, that, instead of any denomination using the State, the latter has the Transylvania and Kentucky University, through whom to obtain the lands, buildings, &c., necessary for the State Agricultural College—thus saving the State an expense, probably, of $200,000 from the treasury at once, and an indefinite amount in the future. The State has not formed an alliance with any religious sect, but has simply accepted a liberal and the only practicable offer from any quarter by which it she could reap the benefits of the magnificent donation from the General Government without depleting the State Treasury at a time when our people are groaning under taxation and financial disorders of every kind.

We desire it to be understood that we are not a "Reformer," and have written this simply to vindicate the good sense and wisdom of the Kentucky Legislature. JUSTICE.

MORE THAN SAVAGE BRUTALITY.—The Evansville Journal, of Monday, says: We heard, a day or two ago, the narration of one of the most inhuman and fiendish acts of guerilla barbarity that could possibly be conceived.

Captain Davidson, as the story goes, met a negro soldier on the road, and, after capturing him, cut off both his ears close to his head, and then released him. When reaching the first house on his road, the fiend Davidson procured a needle and thread and sewed the negro's ears together.

At the first town he came to he went to a whiskey-shop and treated his men, and, after they had drunk, Davidson asked the bar-keeper if "Lincoln skins" (the name the rebels usually apply to greenbacks) "would pay for whiskey?" "Oh, certainly," said the bar-tender, whereupon the brute Davidson threw upon the counter the ears of the negro soldier, remarking: "Well, take your change out of that, then."

Surely such a fiend incarnate should be hunted from the earth like a wolf or a mad dog.

Some kind little millihers have, out of their scant earnings, subscribed, we observe, in aid of the victims at Warsaw. This is, indeed, a pretty illustration of the needle being true to the Pole.—*Home Journal.*

NEWS FROM THE SOUTH.

FEDERAL TREATMENT OF CONFEDERATE PRISONERS.

[From the Richmond Examiner, Feb. 13.]

On Saturday was published in the Examiner, on the authority of Captain W. H. Seeding, of Missouri, a statement of facts relative to the large numbers of Confederate prisoners whom the Yankee Government thinks proper to regard and treat, not as prisoners of war, but as murderers, horse-stealers, or burglars. In general it seems that all Missourians, Kentuckians, or Marylanders whom they may capture—no matter where—in Confederate uniform, are accused to this kind of usage. Capt. Sebring was himself kept chained up for five months in a dungeon in St. Louis, and escaped on the eve of the day appointed for his execution, along with eight other Confederates in the same category. The account he gives of the extent to which this system is carried, and the large number of Confederates (many of them our own kindred and old school men) who are subjected in criminal cells at St. Louis and at Alton is, even allowing for exaggeration, very well worthy the consideration of our Government. If indeed, the President has leisure to attend to such matters in the midst of his arrangements to sustain his own rascalives and rowers, to enforce their exact definition, and to maintain his rich tourneys there—this pleasure, in total disregard of all expressions of public opinion, through Congress or otherwise. No doubt it is quite true—let it be for the present admitted—that, in response to anxious remonstrances from members of Congress, the public press, and other quarters, he has demonstrated that, whereas the Queen of England reigns but does not govern, *he* both reigns and governs—admit that the tenure of cabinet ministers (whether the country have confidence in them or not), like the assignment of officers to command armies (whether these armies like it or not), all is subject to his good pleasure; and that the motion of any amount or exigency of public complaint producing any variable ripple of shadow of any turning in *him*, "arises from a false analogy, that most fertile source of error"—as if he were a mere British sovereign. After all that is proved, admitted, put out of the way, it does seem reasonable that the chief magistrate of this country, being now at war, should consider a little whether his duty and his "pleasure" is to allow the enemy to treat men bearing the commission of the Confederate States as murderers, cutthroats, &c.

On Friday last arrived two pieces of news. The first is, that Burleigh, master's mate in the Confederate States navy, taken in Canada on the charge of violating the British neutrality laws, but demanded by the United States as a "pirate," has been handed over to the United States to undergo the doom of a pirate. Now, an express proclamation of the President, has proceeded over Mr. Burleigh by declaring that he acted under the authority of his Government, and was ordered to do what he did be an acknowledged belligerent power. The second piece of news is, that Major Harry Gilmor, of the Confederate States army—who is called by the Yankee enemy "thief, and train-robber"—has been captured in Hardy county, Virginia, together with a splendid black horse which is *also* on one of the Yankee Presidential "Confederate lists" of what kind of name the enemy fashions for these two brave men. They are to belong to that class, of whom five hundred pine in the cells of St. Louis, and fifteen hundred in the dungeons of Alton, separated from the prisoners of war, to be treated as felons. Are they felons? Is it the Confederate President's "pleasure" so to regard them in the enemy's capital, and to give them up to the civil power? Or, if not, how is he to proceed to vindicate their title to be used as prisoners of war? Or has he not had leisure to consider the matter? It seems to us to deserve some attention. Remember that the theory of our cause is that we are all criminals, not entitled to any right of belligerents, but answerable to the laws made against rebellion; and if it set a time when we held an excuse of this sort for relaxed their theory as to have a cartel of exchange with us, it was with the intention of violating that cartel as soon as they dared, and they have done, in fact, violated it.

In the mean time their policy is to bring, at least, a large class of the Confederate prisoners within their ordinary criminal laws, and they begin with their Kentuckians, Missourians, and Marylanders. If General Breckinridge had been captured in Maryland last summer he would now be awaiting trial and chain. This new system is doubtless to be extended by degrees, so as to supersede the existing treatment of prisoners of war, until even the enemy ceases upon venturing to treat every Confederate officer and soldier simply and distinctly as a penitentiary convict. How long is the pleasure of the Confederate executive to subject us to this outrage? The Secretary of State, in the Proclamation of Thanksgiving, admitted, with an ingenious blush, that his President had "refused" to be would say it, he *had* one little weakness—it was that he was "tender-hearted;" but if his tender-heartedness be chiefly toward the public enemy, and if his delicate horror at retaliation, when Morgan's band was chained in an Ohio penitentiary, and when our two running-officers were shot in Kentucky, and when Mumford was hanged in New Orleans, &c., &c., has been the cause of retaining in the hands of the enemy the best shavings of Confederate prisoners ever since, then Burleigh may perhaps with our gentle President were a little more savage; and Gilmor may have cause to lament that Mr. Davis didn't begin abroad. Some indications there are since the outrage at Hampton Roads, that this Confederacy is about to gird up its loins, and gather together strength for a thousand and one battles, resistance more than has been offered to our brutal invaders. It would be a very appropriate part of that more determined military policy to open a new page in the matter of retaliation for outrage or murder committed on our prisoners—that is if such should happen to be the sovereign pleasure of the executive. If his provinces are once murdered, and he has taken care to conduct us that it is so for six years; and if the two houses of Congress, with all the Confederate public at their back, and the army, and the press, and all the people, imagine that their unanimous appeal can change his conduct by one jot or tittle, we they are guilty of a "false analogy, that fertile cursed error," that's all.

PLANS FOR REDUCING THE PUBLIC DEBT.

[From the Richmond Enquirer, Feb. 13.]

The reduction of the public debt, simultaneously with the dedication of the productions of the country to the defence of the nation, is imperatively demanded as well by sound policy as by even and exact justice. If the exigencies of the secession demand that private property should be given up to public good, it equally demands that no discrimination between kinds of property be made and, more than all, that one kind of property shall not be fostered and protected by the sacrifice of all other kinds, and especially is this true, when the property thus sought to be made good has been obtained for and created by the public value. The indebtedness of this Confederacy in bonds, certificates, and notes amounts to about two thousand millions, for which the government has not received the specie value of two hundred millions. Can there be any wrong or injustice in reducing this indebtedness and bringing it within the capacity of the resources of the country to pay, and to provide for its payment at short, while the government receives from it the public debt be reduced to four hundred millions and its interest at four per cent, made payable in specie, the bondholders will be actually benefited, receive more than they paid, and the country be relieved of the great burden which now oppresses all classes and paralyzes the arm of many to contribute to the public defence. All nations have recognized as a legitimate measure the arbitrary reduction of the public debt. Where the principle is irredeemable, the interest has been reduced. Thus England, in 1758, reduced the interest on part of the permanent debt from 6 to 5 per cent, saving annually £323,650, and in 1727 a further reduction of from 5 to 4 per cent, by which the annual charge was diminished £2,350,534. In 1748 the 4 per cents were reduced to 2 per cent. This was done on the 29th of November, 1749. The stockholders were to receive 1 per centuntil the 25th of December, 1750; from that time to the 25th of December, 1757, they were allowed 3½ per cent, after which time the interest was reduced to 3 per cent. In the year 1751, several of those stocks were consolidated into one fund, amounting collectively to £9,137,821. This was the origin of the present consolidated 3 per cent annuities. Various other stocks were consolidated at the same period, to the amount of £17,760,324, forming the commencement of the present 3 per cent reduced annuities." Again: "The new 3 per cent annuities originated in 1749, by conversion of the new 4 per cents, which had been founded in 1822, from the navy 5 per cents. The stock creating in 1716 per cents in 1830, was, in 1844, reduced to 3½ per cent, effecting an annual saving in interest to the amount of £923,893. In 1851, the rate of interest was further reduced to 3 per cent, and after 1854 may be further reduced. We find France, in 1874, reducing her 5 per cent rentes into 4½ per cents, by the decree of the 14th of March, and diminishing her annual charge 18,-000,000 of francs. In Spain, the alterations of the public debt through conversions, changes of an arbitrary or expedient character, have effected no less a sum than £215,615,000 in the twenty-three years 1836-1858. Massachusetts paid her colonial debt off at the rate of one for eleven, and forty for one. The present price of gold in these States were the rates at which the Continental debt was converted. These examples in the history of other nations might be greatly extended, but are referred to now to show that conversions and reductions bear no relation to repudiation. To make what remains after conversion and reduction more valuable than they were before is no more repudiation than the taking of all the cotton, tobacco, &c., is robbery; and if the latter may be taken with propriety for the public defence, so may the former may be made with justice for the public credit. The reduction of the debt to $400,000,000 at 4 per cent would remove that ocean of figures on which our finances are now tossed in imminent peril of swamping. These thousands of millions bewilder one, confuse all ideas of enumeration, and do much to destroy our credit. Two thousand millions! Think of it. Who can comprehend it? Not the people whose brave and muscle are to pay it. Not that army in the trenches, ballese, shoeless, foodless, naked, hungry, suffering. Shall these men, after years of such suffering, work and toil through long years of labor and privation, and bequeath to their children the legacy of work and toil to reimburse the bondholder, who, having now paid one dollar of gold value, then demands ten? Let the cotton, tobacco, meat, forage, negroes all be taken, and then let the bonds be acknowledged. Having reduced the public debt to four hundred millions, at four per cent, payable in specie, and retired every bond, certificate, and note, leaving the country free from that which is now most unpatriotically called "trash," it will become necessary to supply a new currency.

Two hundred and fifty millions of notes, fundable in four per cent specie-paying bonds, will furnish that currency. These notes paid out for the cotton, tobacco, &c., would give a currency to which good could never be the inordinate proportion it pretends to the present currency, because of its being fundable in specie-paying bonds. The indebtedness of the country would then stand four hundred millions of four per cent bonds, two hundred and fifty millions of notes exchangeable for two hundred and fifty millions of four per cent bonds, or six hundred and fifty millions of four per cent bonds, for which the government would hold as redemption fund the cotton, tobacco, &c., of the country—a fund amply able to pay the debt, and provide in a great measure for carrying on the war. Taxation, then, upon the "endless chain" principle, returning to the treasury each quarter the amount demanded for public expenses, would place our finances on a firm and sure footing.

(From the Richmond Whig, Feb. 15.)

GENERAL LEE'S GENERAL ORDERS.

HEADQUARTERS ARMIES OF THE C. STATES, 11th February.

General Orders No. 2.

In entering upon the campaign about to open, the General-in-Chief feels assured that the soldiers who have so long and so nobly borne the hardships and dangers of the war require no exhortation to respond to the calls of honor and duty. With the liberty transmitted by their forefathers they have inherited the spirit to defend it. The choice between war and abject submission is before them. To such a proposal brave men with arms in their hands have but one answer. They cannot barter manhood for peace, nor the right of self-government for life or property. But justice to them requires a sterner admonition to those who have abandoned their comrades in the hour of peril. A last opportunity is offered them to wipe out the disgrace and escape the punishment of their crimes. Every straggler of the President of the Confederate States a pardon is announced to such deserters and men improperly absent as shall return to the commands to which they belong within the shortest possible time, not exceeding twenty days from the publication of this order, at the headquarters of the department in which they may be. Those who thus return and report to the Provost Marshal of companies, regiments, or other commands, will receive the pardon hereby offered. Those who have deserted to the service of the enemy or who have deserted after having been once pardoned for the same crime, and those who hereafter desert or absent themselves without authority in the publication of this order, are excluded from its benefits. Nor does the offer of pardon extend to other offences than desertion and absence without permission. By the same authority it is also declared that no general amnesty will again be granted, and those who refuse to accept the pardon now offered, or who shall hereafter desert or absent themselves without leave, shall suffer such punishment as the courts may impose, and no application for clemency will be entertained. Taking new resolution from the fate which our enemies intend for us, let every man devote all his energies to the common defence. Our resources, wisely and vigorously employed, are ample, and with a brave army sustained by a determined and united people, success, with God's assistance, cannot be doubtful. The advantages of the enemy will have but little value, if we do not permit them to impair our resolution. Let us then oppose constancy to adversity, fortitude to suffering, and courage to danger, with the firm assurance that He who gave freedom to our fathers will bless the efforts of their children to preserve it. R. E. LEE, General.

ILL OVER WITH BENJAMIN.—The Richmond Enquirer gives to the rebel Secretary of State the finishing stroke in an article from which we give an extract below. The extraordinary complaisance of the Enquirer as to Benjamin's orthodoxy on doctrinal points, while at the same time it adve cates slavery and almost every other "abolition principle, is truly admirable.

One great cause of Mr. Benjamin's unpopularity has been the fact that, in proclamation signed by him as Secretary of State, he ever the existence of a triune God been admitted. He has confided his State peace to deistical belief, and stomped upon the religious faith of the country a practical denial of a trinitarian Jehovah. This was his offence; but not the faith of that wide-spread religious sentiment that prevails throughout this country. The people do not like to be made to choose between Jesus Christ and Judah P. Benjamin, and to take the latter in preference. Twice the Congress has endeavored to change this, and has adopted resolutions designed to preclude the exclusion of our Saviour from the prayers of a people asking the interposition of God in our behalf, but each time the express resolution has been disregarded. This matter of religious faith is no insignificant affair. It is the deepest sentiment in the souls of this people—it is the distinguishing trait in the character of this revolution—it has its influence in the camp and at the hearthstone, in temple and legislative hall, and has its recognition in confessions of thousands and thousands of our army. When disregarded it has shocked the whole fabric of religious faith. Appealing to God and not recognizing the Divinity of His Son is mocking Jehovah with the vain repetition of words which have no meaning. The constr eask no hypocrisy from Mr. Benjamin; his religious belief is respected; but they desire some other statesman whose faith more accords with the religious convictions of the people.

Putting this with the Anderonville enormities we are led to doubt whether the "cavaliers" will any more scout at the Puritans, who hanged Quakers and witches, but were scrupulous on the point of infant baptism.

REBEL PRISONERS AT CAMP DOUGLAS.—The following account from a correspondent, of the condition of the rebel prisoners at Chicago, refutes the absurd stories of their bad treatment circulated by the secession journals in and out of the Confederacy:

Gaining admittance into the "rebel square," I found sixteen rows of barracks, four separate buildings in a row. These are all built of wood and stand upon piles, about four feet from the surface of the prairie. Each house has a kitchen attached, in which rebels officiate. The bread is baked in "garrison square," but by rebel bakers. It is the same used for the soldiers comprising the garrison—good, fresh bread. About fifteen thousand pounds of flour are consumed daily. In several of the kitchens I saw hot biscuits and Indian corn-bread baking for supper. The materials for making the latter were probably purchased of the sutlers, and not supplied by Government.

In several of the kitchens were stands where the rebel jewellers worked. The money received for whatever the rebels make does not go directly into their hands, but into the hands of a prisoners' accountant, and they can draw upon this fund at the sutler's. If any remains they take it with them when exchanged. The rings made in the "rebel square" are exceedingly unique and tasteful. The rubber forming the body of the ring is supplied by the prisoners' sutler, while gold and silver coin furnish the decorations. In some cases pearl from the oyster shell is skillfully inlaid. Many who work thus, state that before being taken prisoners they had been farmers. A great variety of articles are made from bone—knives, forks, spoons, tooth-picks—all carved with great skill and cunning.

The prisoners have an abundance of fuel, wood and coal, and the only thing they have to complain of is confinement in a square about the size of the Public Garden in Boston. At present there are about twelve thousand prisoners. Quite a stir was visible among them at the news of an exchange, all hoping his State would be represented. Outside of the "rebel square" there is a rebel hospital, in every way commodious and comfortable.

One sees some amusing sights in the "square." Here, one who has to carry a ball and chain, has made a small truck or cart for the ball, and so gets round quite comfortably; there, one caught making a ladder, perhaps with the delusive hope of scaling the wall some night, is compelled for a certain number of days to climb up and down the ladder placed against one of the barracks; he is under a guard who gives him no rest. Here, a savage-looking Texan is seen vacantly scanning the list of "arrivals by express;" he has done the same daily perhaps for eighteen months; and so on. As the gates closed upon me and I passed through the camp to the Garden City, I could not but feel that there is a just God who rules over all, and His ways though unsearchable are yet full of wisdom. The cry of pain and suffering from Andersonville will find an answer somewhere at some time. Look on this picture and then on that.

The Brooklyn, N. Y., incomes are large—S. B. Chittenden $210,000, A. A. Low $342 270, J. O. Low $100,573, Horace B. Claflin $350,000, Aaron Claflin $40,000.

The English Viceroy in Central Asia has received the homage of six hundred princes, assembled to do honor to Queen Victoria. The ceremony took place at Lahore.

The supplies of Assam and other India teas are said to be increasing rapidly, with larger profits to the importer than are afforded by the product of China.

A Toronto paper tries very hard to manufacture an article about Federal spies in that city drugging Confederate men, assaulting Confederate women, &c., but the effort is a weak one.

A case is pending in the New York Supreme Court in which a child was left in pawn or pledge for the payment of a debt.

TELEGRAPHIC NEWS.

The New York Times on the Situation.

Has no Fears for General Sherman.

Gen. Grant Will Hold Lee in Check.

Lee's Every Move Closely Watched.

Comparisons by a Military Officer.

The Rebel Situation is Hopeless.

General Sherman Pushing Forward.

Cheering Indications in N. Carolina.

TO THE ASSOCIATED PRESS.

NEW YORK, Feb. 22.

The Times' Washington special says: The fears of some timorous persons, that Lee will be able to precipitate himself on Sherman, and, united with Beauregard, be able to check the advance of that General, are not shared in by either the Government or sensible men here. These persons forget that Grant and his army will have something to say in that issue.

Lee is closely observed by Grant on every point, and the first intimation he gives of any intention to withdraw from Richmond will be the signal for the tiger spring by Grant. Gen. Grant is perfectly cognizant of every move on the part of his adversary.

Deserters from Lee's army arrive at the rate of 100 per day.

A distinguished military man to-day pointed out that the present situation of Lee is precisely analogous to that of Napoleon in 1814, when France was invaded by the allies. Notwithstanding he lavished all the resources of his incomparable genius to resist the advance, he was pushed and pressed upon by converging forces of his opponents, and was finally compelled to capitulate in his capital.

The public generally see that Sherman is pushing his triumphant columns straight on Raleigh, which point he will reach early next week. He writes privately that the people of theold North State are prepared to hail the advance of his army, and promptly wheel the State into the Union.

Since the fall of Charleston, Wilmington and Mobile are the only points remaining of the numerous important seaport cities formerly under rebel rule. Both are doomed to fall, if not already, in our possession. A powerful expedition is directed against both.

The World's Washington special says: Gov. Morgan, in reply to solicitations from influential friends to accept the position of Secretary of the Treasury, yesterday peremptorily declined it, finally settling all doubts in the matter, so far as he is concerned. England is still opposing the pressure from the West in favor of Mr. McCulloch.

The Tribune's Washington special says there have been rumors all day of the evacuation of Wilmington, but nothing positive. It is, however, known that, immediately after the fall of Fort Fisher, the city was partially evacuated, and it is believed the entire force in the vicinity ignorant and did not know how to proceed in the matter. The person in question is from New Haven, Nelson county, Ky. He was turned over to Captain S. E. Jones, to be sent down to one of our Northern prisons.

MILITARY SENTENCES.—The latest sentences by the Military Commission in St. Louis which have been promulgated, are those of Joseph J. Weldon, a citizen of Livingston county, Missouri, and of George M. Tye, a Confederate soldier, both of whom were found guilty of violating the laws of war, and sentenced to imprisonment during the war. By order of the Commanding General, the sentence will be carried into effect at the Missouri State penitentiary.

☞ That was a good joke on a young and gallant Hoosier officer, who, on receiving a note from a lady requesting the pleasure of his company at a party to be given as her house, on the evening designated, took his volunteers and marched them to the young lady's residence. When it was explained to him that it was himself alone who had been invited, he said, "Oh, golly, the letter said company, and I thought the lady wanted to see all my boys."

POLICE PROCEEDINGS—*Wednesday, Feb. 22.*—John Wakeman, drunkenness and disorderly conduct. Fined $5.

Fred Schafer and Frank Hildebrand, assaulting May Schafer. $100 each to answer.

Geo. Long, disorderly conduct. Discharged.

A young lady, stealing a cloth cloak from Melinda Stargen, worth $20. Discharged for want of proof.

☞ It appears highly probable that Hon. Hugh McCulloch, of Indiana, will succeed Secretary Fessenden in the Treasury Department. Strenuous efforts are being made to secure his nomination by the President. Mr. McCulloch is an eminent and successful banker, and, doubtless, a better selection could not be made of a Secretary of the Treasury.

☞ A lady advertises in a St. Louis paper for a husband. She wants to exchange pictures, correspond, and marry. She gives her age at twenty-one, and weighs two hundred and sixty pounds. There is a big thing for somebody.

PULASKI COUNTY, KY., Feb. 11, 1865.

To the Editors of the Louisville Journal:

I propose through your columns to tender to Mr. C. F. Barnum, Captain Pierce, Lieutenant-Colonel A. P. Huey, Surgeon Fell, and many other friends and fellow-prisoners my sincere thanks for the kindness and sympathy tendered myself and family during my incarceration in rebel prisons. Their efforts to console and relieve me never can be forgotten. I was fifteen months a prisoner of war. During the time I was confined at Richmond and Danville, Va., Macon, Ga., Charleston and Columbia, S. C., I saw and heard a great deal of prison life in the interior of the Confederacy. As I am not yet exchanged, I do not feel at liberty to tell what I do know; yet I will say that none of the accounts I have seen of the cruelty perpetrated upon the unfortunate prisoners exaggerate their suffering in the least, but in many instances fail to tell the story as bad as it is. But I confess the long anxiety and ill-ness of my family, my own suffering of fifteen months, amount to but little when compared with the sad disappointment of finding my State wavering, complaining, dissatisfied—still willing to suffer the wrong. Why, my friends, do you believe slavery would have been interfered with had there been no rebellion? No, I know you do not. Then cast the blame where it belongs. And for God's sake do not let them destroy your Government also. Therefore lay aside all your prejudices and give the Government your unqualified support. Any delay now will command both its respect and confidence, thus securing its protection. Instruct your Legislature to pass resolutions approving the act of Congress upon the constitutional amendment bill. And take the necessary steps to bring about the necessary amendment to our State constitution, and all will be well. The guerillas will leave the State in a few weeks, and peace will inevitably follow.

Lieutenant-Governor Jacob and Mr. G. D. Prentice will please accept my thanks for their visit to the Lucky during their temporary sojourn in Richmond, Va. W. N. OWENS,
Major 1st Kentucky Cavalry.

GRATZ, OWEN CO., KY., Feb. 13 1865.

To the Editors of the Louisville Journal:

I wish, through the columns of your paper, to call the attention of oil and mineral men to the country lying along the Kentucky river. This country veers every indication of both oil and minerals, especially the latter. Near the town of Gratz, in Owen county, thirty-five miles from the mouth of the river, the indications are so numerous and plainly visible that it seems remarkable that they should remain so long without being disturbed. The minerals are lead and iron. The veins of lead, almost pure, appear near the surface of the ground, and, in many places along the river cliffs, it crops out. The ore is so pure that it has been used by the people many years for sporting purposes. It is also supposed to have furnished a ready supply to the numerous bands of guerillas that have infested the banks of the Kentucky during the past two years. The ore contains a large percentage of silver. The oil indications are scarce; less numerous than those of lead and iron. On Clay Lick creek, three miles below Lock No. 2, the oil appears on the surface of the water in large quantities, especially near the Salt Springs at Furnace Lick. There is also good indications on Hog Trough and Pond Branches. There are appearances of oil on almost every branch and creek along the river. Oil and mineral hunters would do well to visit the Kentucky river valley before prospecting elsewhere. R. D. J.

INQUEST NO. 317—Held February 22, 1865, at the river, back of Elm Tree Garden, on the body of a white man, name not known. Verdict: Came to his death by drowning. Said man is about five feet five inches high, had dark chestnut hair and dark red whiskers; had on a black speck coat, check or hickory over-shirt, red grav flannel under-shirt, gray pants, and fine boots, with a patch across the inside corner of the right boot.

The remains will be kept in the vault at the Western Cemetery, on Jefferson street, between Fifteen and Seventeenth streets, until Thursday, at 2½ o'clock P. M. Any one missing a friend, will please call and see the body.

JAS. C. GILL, Coroner.

SHOCKING MURDER BY GUERRILLAS.—A correspondent to the Nashville Union, writing from Stevenson, Ala., on the 18th, gives the particulars of the atrocities lately committed by a gang of desperadoes, under the leadership of two villains named Witherspoon and Davenport. A few days ago they captured a young man by the name of Macy McCurdy, who had taken the oath of allegiance to the United States Government, and after shooting him, cut his throat, and left his corpse lying in the road, naked. One night last week they captured five soldiers of an Ohio regiment, and took them to the residence of one Dr. Green, where they murdered them in cold blood, and stripped their clothes from their persons. Since the above deeds were committed, our scouts have captured fourteen of the gang, and it is to be hoped they will meet with their just desert. The soldiers murdered by them were on duty in the stockade at Bellefonte.

ATTEMPT TO COMMIT SUICIDE.—Colonel M. Anderson, formerly of St. Louis, and for some time Colonel of a regiment of rebel cavalry, was arrested at a tilly on the grounds of a strong suspicion of complicity with the rebel emissaries who made such a desperate attempt at burning Chicago and releasing the Camp Douglas prisoners. Being taken to Cincinnati with the other prisoners he had been jealously guarded at the barracks with others, considered the most important of the lot. His attempt at self-destruction was made Sunday afternoon at about two o'clock, the weapon used being a revolver, which he snatched from the belt of one of the guards then on duty. He had placed the muzzle of the pistol where it would have sent the ball through his heart, but one of his fellow-prisoners, perceiving his intent, struck his arm down, the result being that the ball entered the stomach, inflicting a mortal wound.

SENTENCE COMMUTED.—Lieut. S. B. Davis, formerly keeper of the rebel prison pen at Andersonville, Georgia, who was arrested, tried, and convicted a short time since by a military court-martial in Cincinnati of being a rebel spy, and who was sentenced to be hung on Friday last at Johnson's Island, has had his sentence commuted by the President to imprisonment at hard labor during the war, at Fort Delaware. At the time of his arrest Davis acknowledged that he was a bearer of despatches from Canada to the rebel Government at Richmond, but protested against the charge made against him of being a spy.

☞ J. A. Murry, a rebel soldier, gave himself up to our forces near Atlanta on the 21st of July. He was forwarded for exchange, but managed to escape from the cars when near Columbus, Ohio. He was arrested last Saturday and confined in the Barracks. The prisoners have he intended, when he arrived here, to give him

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THE LATE PEACE CONFERENCE.—The Louisville Democrat of the 14th inst. summed up the late peace conference in Hampton Roads as follows:

Hunter, Stephens, and Campbell came to see if Lincoln would now recognize their Independence and Lincoln went to see if the Confederacy was ready for an unconditional surrender, to sacrifice all life, liberty, and property, to the vengeance or mercy of the conqueror. Of course they parted with distinguished consideration both sides making a rather ridiculous piece of history.

We criticised the above as an unfaithful and extravagant statement of the Hampton Roads conference, and added:

It is true that "Hunter, Stephens, and Campbell came to see if Lincoln would now recognize their independence"—such, it appears, was the only object the rebel commissioners had in view, and from this reason the conference brought forth no fruits of peace. But it is a gross perversion to say that President Lincoln "went to see if the Confederacy was ready for an unconditional surrender, to sacrifice all, life, liberty, and property, to the vengeance or mercy of the conqueror." The authoritative accounts of the conference as presented to the Federal and the rebel Congress respectively, by President Lincoln and Jefferson Davis, do not sustain the Democrat's version of the matter.

The Democrat has responded at length to our criticism, calling upon us to retract its statement "by the record." We propose, therefore, to briefly treat of this conference "by the record" for the purpose of establishing the three points which we urged in our first article on the subject, viz: First, that the only object of the rebel commissioners was "to see if Lincoln would now recognize their independence;" second, that it is a gross perversion to say that President Lincoln "went to see if the Confederacy was ready for an unconditional surrender, to sacrifice all, life, liberty, and property, to the vengeance or mercy of the conqueror;" and third, that an armistice, except on the plain condition of restoring the Union, could not have been granted by President Lincoln.

First, then, let us refer to the authoritative statements under which the conference itself was held. On the 12th of January last, when Francis P. Blair was on the eve of his departure from Richmond, whither he had gone from Washington to inaugurate a peace negotiation, the Times discovered to him a passenger letter. It was as follows:

RICHMOND, Jan 11 1865.

F. P. BLAIR, Esq.—SIR: I have received it from your hands and peruse[d] [illegible] to you, to give you an authority to enter into conference with any person or persons who may be [illegible] for the purpose of securing peace to the two countries.

I have no objection to that object, but, on the contrary, am willing, and shall be pleased, to enter into conference with any person or persons whom you may send to me for the purpose of securing peace to the two countries.

Yours &c.,
(Signed) JEFFERSON DAVIS.

On his return to Washington Mr. Blair delivered the above letter to President Lincoln, who, in response, presented him with the following which Mr. Blair on his second visit to Richmond handed to Jefferson Davis:

WASHINGTON, January 18, 1865.

F. P. BLAIR, Esq.—SIR: Your having shown me Mr. Davis's letter to you of the 12th inst., with the verbal statement you have made me of the conversation you had with him, justifies me to say that I am willing to receive any agent whom he or any other influential person now resisting the national authority may informally send me with the view of securing peace to the people of our common country.

Yours, &c., A. LINCOLN.

The above are the authoritative documents under which the peace conference was inaugurated. It is distinctly announced by President Lincoln that the conference shall occur, if at all, "with a view to securing peace to the people of our common country." While Jefferson Davis, with equal clearness, announces that he will send commissioners "with a view to secure peace to the two countries." The marked difference between the terms of the letter from Davis and those of the letter from President Lincoln caused the latter to hesitate to allow Stephens, Hunter, and Campbell to pass the lines of General Grant till the General had assured the President, through Secretary Stanton that he was "convinced, upon conversation with Messrs. Stephens and Hunter that their intentions are good and their desire sincere to restore peace and Union." Accordingly, the rebel commissioners were admitted within the Federal lines, and, by mutual agreement the desired conference was held in Hampton Roads. For an official history of the conference itself we will rely upon the letter of Secretary Seward to Mr. Adams. The statements since made by the rebel commissioners to the Congress at Richmond do not vary from Mr. Seward's as to substance.

The foregoing facts exonerate the Administration at Washington, and at the same time indicate what channels of communication, if any, are open between the belligerents. Whether the Government will be received, or to whom a communication of the United States Government shall be addressed to send one; that, and the opening the rejection of our former offer, I would not pause between the Government and the rebellion, which, during the past month, raised and disciplined [illegible] and [illegible] with it.

When the insurgent party should abidely to favor was a postponement of the question of operations on which the war was waged, and a mutual cessation of the efforts of the Government as well as those of the insurgents, to enable Congress to take measures for a session, during which practicable means may be expected to embody and the armies be relieved and trade and intercourse between the two sections to be resumed.

It was suggested to them that through such postponement we might now have immediate peace, with some, not very certain, prospects of an ultimate satisfactory adjustment of political relations between the Government of the States section, or people now engaged in conflict with it. The suggestion, though deliberately considered, was nevertheless regarded by the President as one of armistice or truce, and he announced that we can agree to no cessation or suspension of hostilities except on the basis of the disbandment of the insurgent forces, the restoration of the national authority throughout all the States in the Union collaterally, and in subordination to the proposition which was thus announced.

The anti-slavery policy of the United States was reviewed in all its bearings, and the President announced that he must not be expected to depart from the position he had hitherto assumed in his proclamation of emancipation and other documents, as these positions were reiterated in his annual message.

It was further declared by the President that the complete restoration of the national authority everywhere was an indispensable condition of any assent on our part to whatever form of peace might be proposed. The President assured the other party that while he must adhere to these positions, he would be prepared, so far as power was lodged with the Executive, to exercise liberality. Its power, however, is limited by the constitution, and, when peace should be made, Congress must necessarily act in regard to appropriations of money, and to the admission of representatives from the insurrectionary States.

The Richmond party were then informed that Congress had, on the 31st ult., adopted, by a constitutional majority, a joint resolution submitting to the several States the proposition to abolish slavery throughout the Union, and that there is every reason to expect that it will soon be accepted by three-fourths of the States, so as to become a part of the national organic law.

It appears from the above that the rebel commissioners were unwilling to concede anything definite looking to the Union's restoration, but merely desired an armistice to consider the question of separation. This conference, it should be remembered, was informal only, and, therefore, whatever intimations the rebel commissioners might have given of the possibility of restoration as the result of an armistice, could not with propriety or safety be relied upon by President Lincoln. The only light in which the President could regard their requests was that thrown upon their mission by the letter of Jefferson Davis, which emphatically stated that the conference should be held "with a view to secure peace to the *two countries*." President Lincoln, therefore, wisely and justly responded that he could "agree to no cessation or suspension of hostilities except on the basis of the disbandment of the insurgent forces and the restoration of the national authority throughout all the States of the Union," &c. The rebel commissioners *would not accept an armistice on such a basis*, for they looked to separation alone as the result of "a postponement of the question." In view of this fact, we repeat that President Lincoln could not grant an armistice, and in proof of his sagacity we would call the attention of the Democrat to the following language of Jefferson Davis, who, in the speech delivered by him a few days since, at the Richmond war meeting, said, when speaking of the notes which passed between Him and President Lincoln:

> He (President Davis) spoke always of *two countries*. Mr. Lincoln spoke of *a country*. *He could hear no common country with the Yankees.* He was bound up with the Confederacy, and I any man supported that order on any circumstances he could be an agent for the reconstruction of the Union he mistook every element of his nature. With the Confederacy he would live or die.

On the same occasion with the above, Judah P. Benjamin, the rebel Secretary of War, addressed the people of Richmond, and, in the course of his speech, made the following declaration relative to the peace mission:

> Our commissioners went with no blank paper, for on it were written by our President, the words: *Independence* and Self-Government.

Thus it appears unmistakably that the sole object of the rebel commissioners, whose whole authority was derived from Jefferson Davis, was "to see if Lincoln would now recognize their *independence*."

Second. What did President Lincoln "go to see?" The Democrat answers, "to see if the Confederacy was ready for an unconditional surrender, to sacrifice all, life, liberty, and property, to the vengeance or mercy of the conqueror." And it is argued that the pains and penalties of certain Federal laws justify the rebels in believing that peace and Union will be attended on their part by the utter sacrifice of "life, liberty, and property." We freely confess that some laws prescribing severe penalties have been enacted against the rebels, and we seriously object to many of their features. But do not the Democrat and the rebels themselves know that, in the hour of peace and restoration, those penalties will never be inflicted? Most assuredly. It is true that President Lincoln himself cannot repeal those laws, and he had no power to tell the rebel commissioners that he would, but Secretary Seward, in his letter to Mr. Adams, distinctly exhibited the spirit in which the restored insurgents would be treated. President Lincoln is represented as having referred the commissioners to the declarations of his last annual message on the subject. In that message the President said:

> They can at any moment have peace simply by laying down their arms and submitting to the national authority under the Constitution. After so much, the Government could not, if it would, maintain war against them. The Executive power itself would be greatly diminished by the cessation of actual war. Pardons and remissions of forfeiture, however, would still be within Executive control. In what spirit and temper this control would be exercised can be fairly judged of by the past. A year ago general pardon and amnesty, upon liberal terms, were offered to all, except only a few designated classes; and it was at the same time made known that the excepted classes were still within contemplation of executive mercy.

Such, then, are the terms of surrender which the President submitted to Stephens, Hunter and Campbell. They embraced as much as the President was authorized to say, while they plainly indicate the spirit of universal clemency which the nation will show to the insurgents when they lay down their arms. The institution of slavery, however may be lost. Indeed it is virtually gone already, let this conflict end as it will. The States could not stand for a moment on that question. Her slaves, six hundred thousand of them, if they will go, are to be enlisted in the rebel armies under a proclamation of freedom. Such is the policy agreed upon at the late Richmond meeting. A similar one is ceased to be dreaded at the South.

Third. An armistice could not be wisely granted now, except upon the ground, impliedly adopted by the combatants, of a *restored nationality*. Such a measure, without such an understanding, would only prolong the war and make doubtful its result. Our armies are covered with victory and daily gaining advantage. They [illegible] long to achieve a peace. An armistice would but give the rebellion time to renew its failing strength. These considerations, without enlarging upon them, sufficiently justify the continuous prosecution of hostilities.

We have given more space to this subject than we at first designed, but, if we have in the least cleared and instructed our contemporary, we shall not regret the labor.

☞ All the rich men of Charleston have left the city. They are self-lauded. If they pretend to have apprehended insult and outrage from Sherman's troops, the pretence is false. We guess they are beginning to think that the power and ball with which they fired on Sumpter was manufactured by the Devil and furnished to them by some infernal agent of his. Ah, they would give a good many trifles now to be able to bring back the thunder of the guns of May, 1861 and imprison it in its original hell-powder.

☞ The business of volunteering in the city of New York has gone on for some time and still goes on with much enthusiasm. There are many bad things in the Empire City, but patriotism seems not to be extinct there. Would that the 200,000 needed men could all be raised without a draft.

☞ The last Federal flag over Sumpter after the Convention was raised by Capt. Bracy, of Gen Gillmore's staff. Many loyal eyes, as they looked upon it, must have been dim with excess of emotion. They had its tears.

☞ The Richmond Examiner thinks that Sherman is "getting to the end of his triumphs." It is conceded that Alexander got to the end of his, but he sat down and cried because there was no room for further proceedings.

☞ The old flag of Fort Sumpter, the very one that floated over it when Charleston fired the first hostile gun, is again in its place. If it is swiftly riddled, the riddle is one that the confederacy can easily read.

☞ Charleston, it appears, was surrendered to the Federal forces by Mr Macbeth, its Mayor. "Macbeth! Macbeth! Macbeth!" Was that a dagger that you saw before you?

☞ The Richmond Examiner says that "Beauregard is leading Sherman a dance." But it turns that the reb[illegible] have to 'pay the piper."

☞ The rebels, in setting fire to Charleston, did unbiassed her in honor of her own fall. That was too bad.

☞ We knocked down the walls of Sumpter. Probably we shall now let them get up again.

☞ What would Charleston give just now never to have fired upon Fort Sumter?

☞ If the last hope of the Southern Confederacy is the negro, it is a dark one.

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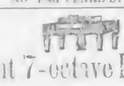

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APRIL ELECTION. 1865.

For Mayor.

WM. KAYE is a candidate for re-election as Mayor at the April election. f9 dtde*

W. R. HYDES, the late City Marshal, is a candidate for Mayor at the ensuing election. f3 dtde*

MR. JOSEPH CLEMENT (Marshstraw) is a candidate for Mayor at the ensuing election. He voted for and is a supporter of the administration of President Lincoln. f20 dtde

For City Assessor.

DICK WATTS is a candidate for the office of City Assessor at the ensuing April election. f11 dtde*

MR. A. W. R. HARRIS is a candidate for re-election as Assessor at the April election. f20 dtde

For City Attorney.

A. M. STOUT, formerly of the 15th Ky., is a candidate for City Attorney at the April election. f18 dtde

Lawson Brass Foundery,

No. 25 Tenth st., bet. Main and Market.

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I am prepared to manufacture all kinds of Brass work. Particular attention paid to Metallic Packing and Babbet Metals of all kinds, Brass and Composition Castings, &c. Cash paid for Brass, Copper, and other old metals. f20 dlm

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AND

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No. 661 Main street, up stairs, between Sixth and Seventh streets, four doors above the Louisville Hotel, and over Libby, White, & Cochran's.

N. B.—We are selling White and Over-shirts 30 per cent below the regular prices.

☞ Call and see. f22 d1m1*

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NOTICES.

Found,

A SUM OF MONEY WAS SOME MONTHS AGO, found on the street, in Louisville. Apply at this office. 12t d&w f2

Notice.

A FEW GENTLEMEN CAN BE ACCOMMODATED with board, and good rooms furnished. Also, a few day boarders, in a good neighborhood, only a few minutes walk from the Post-office. References required. Address C. A. M., at this office. 12t d&w

A ROOM WITH OR WITHOUT BOARD, A LARGE, choice room, thoroughly furnished, can be obtained in a private family, by addressing, with reference, f21 d6* Box 1057, Post Office.

For Hire,

TWO COLORED GIRLS, I SINGUMHERD, GOOD house servants, washers, ironers, &c.

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At Mrs. Conway's, corner Chestnut and Centre sts. f20 d1w2*

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AFTER SOME EIGHTEEN YEARS EXPERIENCE in the practice of the profession in Southern Kentucky, having permanently settled in Louisville, on Madison, between Eleventh and Twelfth streets, respectfully tenders his services to the people of this vicinity and the public generally. References: Drs. McKnight and Grooms, Elkton, Kentucky; Drs. Hickman and Bass, Elkton, Kentucky; Dr. J. A. Brady, Mt. Jackson; W. B. Wilson, Esq. D. R. Hutchings, for the Hon. Edward Hutchings, Duncan, & Co., Louisville, Kentucky. f21 m&w cod10

Notice.

A CALL OF FIFTY PER CENT CASH HAS BEEN made by the Board of Directors of the Bowling Green Oil Company, payable on or before the 25th day of February, at the office of J. H. Thomas, 519 Main street.

f21 d1 JOHN H. THOMAS, Secretary.

To Hire.

A LIKELY NEGRO WOMAN ABOUT TWENTY-three years old can cook, wash and iron. Has one child two years old. Wages and so much more good as to secure a good home. Address

f21 d3* C. W., P. O. Box 417.

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CONSUMERS OF COAL MUST NOT FORGET that at SYMMES' Coal Office, corner of Eleventh and Canal Place they can procure coal, of which and the very best article of PITTSBURG COAL at the very lowest market price. f21 d3*

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I WISH TO EXCHANGE ONE OF THE BEST FARMS, 2¾ miles from Oldenburg Depot, containing 97 A., for a good dwelling house in the city of Louisville. Inquire of Messrs A. O. & Jno. S. Beard, Louisville, Ky. f20 d4 T. L. HALL.

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MADAME SEYMORE BEGS TO INFORM THE citizens of Louisville and vicinity that she excels positively all to leave town in one week. Those wishing to consult her on business, love, or health should call at once. She has the wonderful talismans or charms used by the Persians in [illegible] of Love and Misery, which she is ready to supply to those who wish them.

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I WILL GIVE EXEMPTION TO PERSONS CLAIMing exemption from draft.

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Iron Merchants,

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HAVE IN STORE—

500 tons Stone-coal and Tyrone Iron;
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3,000 kegs Nails, from 2d to 60d;
1,000 kegs wrought & cut Spikes;
1,000 kegs Horse & Mule Shoes;
200 kegs Horse and Mule Nails;
Springs and Axles;
Blacksmiths' Tools;
Plough-makers' Materials;
Manilla Rope and Oakum;
Lead, Block Tin, and Spelter;
Pittsburg Coal in hhds;

All of which we are selling at very low prices.

☞ GOVERNMENT VOUCHERS taken for goods in our line.

We buy OLD METALS, such as Iron, Copper, and Brass. 12 ed6m

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Machine Belting,

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Mill, Factory, Railroad, and Oil Well Supplies of all kinds.

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j24 Tu&Th3m J. D. BONDURANT,
Main, bet. Third and Fourth sts.

McGILL & MULLEN,

Late of the Galt House, now located on

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Are selling out their stock of

GENTLEMEN'S FINE CLOTHING

AND

FURNISHING GOODS

At Cost.

AT THE GALT HOUSE WE WERE TOO FAR UP for local trade. Now that we have a central stand, we are determined to sell out our present stock AT COST that we may become better known to the people of Louisville.

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WE HAVE ON HAND AND ARE MAKING ALL sizes of the STEEL PEACOCK PLOUGHS, also all our differ ent kinds of Ploughs. Constantly on hand all kinds of WAGONS, Ploughs, Castings, &c., at our old stand, corner of Main and Hancock streets.

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ARMY SUPPLIES.

OFFICE U. S. COMMISSARY OF SUBSISTENCE, LOUISVILLE, KY., February 18, 1865.

SEALED PROPOSALS IN DUPLICATE, MADE BY first hands, will be received at this office until 11 o'clock, A. M., on FRIDAY, the 24th day of February, 1865, for furnishing the following subsistence supplies, viz:

5,000 barrels best quality new prime Mess Pork.

500,000 pounds best quality new Rosin (clear or clear tilted sides, or shoulders, with shank cut off at the brisket) packed in tierces *full head lined*, to contain not more than 300 pounds, *net each*.

5,000 pounds extra Roast of mess quality, as sample to be sent at this office, barrels to be *full head lined*.

150,000 pounds best quality, new, medium sized, dry, clean White Beans, in good, strong, well cooperaged barrels, *full head lined*.

100,000 pounds best quality Kiln-dried Hominy, in good, strong, well coopered barrels, *full head lined*.

500,000 pounds good Brown Sugar, in good, strong, well coopered barrels, *full head lined*.

50,000 pounds Crushed Sugar, in good, strong, well coopered barrels, *full head lined*.

37,500 pounds best quality Star Candles, full weight, 16 ounce to the pound.

10,000 gallons Molasses, in good, strong barrels.

25,000 pounds Dried Apples, fruit of 1864, in good, strong, well coopered barrels, *full head lined*.

150,000 pounds good, sound Potatoes, in strong, well coopered barrels, *full head lined*.

50,000 pounds good, sound Onions, in strong, well coopered barrels, *full head lined*.

The above to be delivered, *free of all charges*, for drayage, packages, or otherwise, at the Commissary storehouse in Jeffersonville, Ind., on or before the 10th day of March, 1865.

All the articles must be strong and well-made, and pairticular attention to be paid to the packing of the same, and *actual tare* will be deducted for *all* descriptions of package.

Proposals must be made on the blanks furnished at this office, and for *each article* they must be on *separate sheets*, and must be made in duplicate.

Samples of all articles, except Flour and Salt Meats, must accompany proposals and be carefully examined with the notice of the bidder, and should any packer to whom a contract may be awarded refuse or neglect to deliver, within the time designated, the articles he shall be allowed no further to cover or deliver, and the contractor shall pay the difference of cost.

The successful bidders must be present in person at the time of announcing the awards, or their presence required.

All goods are to be received, subject to the inspection and approval of the Commissary of Subsistence, and condemned goods rejected.

Payments will be made in such funds as may be furnished by the Government.

The specifications of this advertisement must be strictly complied with.

The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all bids for proper cause.

H. C. SYMONDS,
f21 d4 Major and Commissary of Subsistence.

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THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 23, 8 A. M.

$300 BOUNTY!

OFFERED BY

CITY OF LOUISVILLE,

IN ADDITION TO THE

UNITED STATES BOUNTY.

The City of Louisville will pay a Bounty of $300 to each volunteer who may hereafter be enlisted in the United States military service, when a certificate is presented showing that a credit has been given to the City of Louisville for the person enlisted or mustered in as above.

February 16. WM. KAYE, Mayor.

GUERRILLAS IN BRECKINRIDGE COUNTY.—Last Monday, twenty-two men of the 12th Kentucky cavalry attacked sixteen of Capt. Clay Hayes's men in Breckinridge county, killing one of them named John Hardaway. The others made their escape. Among a number of private letters found on the body of John Hardaway was the following list of names, evidently the muster-roll:

Lt. A Hays	J. Gregory	J. Adkins.
Lt. J. Bradshaw	D. W. Hall	J. Wiles.
C. A. E. Hubbard	W. T. Pierce	M. B. Gibson.
D. P. Baker	A. J. Brown	S. Hernandes.
R. W. Baker	J. W. Spalding	J. W. Hardaway.
S. H. Barnes	F. Weston	S. Berryman.
T. J. Barnes	J. Reynolds	S. Barnes.
T. Cox		T. Spalding.
H. Cassell	W. Spencer	J. Sandbeth.
H. Brooks	T. M. Kelly	R. Wiseman.
L. Jones	J. Jones	H. Hall.
C. W. Hardin	J. Jones	W. H. Wiseman.
J. A. Hardin		

Captain Pulliam, company B, 27th Kentucky, is stationed at Hardinsburg. He has been out on a scout for the last five days, and succeeded in capturing six rebels, of Capt. Harding's company.—Lieut. Frank Shaw, and privates Wm. Taylor, Dixon, Bullock, Wilson, and Steward: and we hope he may bring in many more before he returns.

☞ The Warren County Combination appeared at the Louisville Theatre last night in the fine comedy *London Assurance*. There was a fine assembly present, despite the unfavorable state of the weather. Mr. Warren's Sir Harcourt Courtly was a most finished performance. The fashionable old beau, ringed, painted, and assuming the follies and the appearance of youth, were admirable rendered, and won the hearty applause of the fashionating audience present on the occasion. Miss Josie Orton's Lady Gay Spanker was brilliant and dashing to a degree, and was sustained with exquisite taste and elegance. The opening counties in the third act fairly brought the house down. It was acted throughout with fine spirit and true artistic judgment and her many personal admirers in her performance here. To-night, Gourlay's comedy *Our Shops* is announced with the farce of *Deacon Dunbar's Pound*. The Combination have in the theatre just now deserve to be encouraged to visit us often.—Col. Lindsay Walker will appear as the famous Colonel Jas. S. Wallace on Saturday afternoon, at the Theatre.

MASONIC TEMPLE.—At Masonic Temple this evening, a complimentary benefit is to be given to Mr. C. J. Heartwell. The programme of the evening is an exceedingly interesting one, offering a succession of the leaders of the drama. Miss Katie E. Gann, an accomplished young actress, will appear as Mrs. Woodruff in the beautiful and romantic drama of Michael Earle, or The Maniac Lover. The comedian, Mr. Chas. Barton, the champion female jig dancer, Le Petite Jennie (so wonderful no wonder only five years old, and Mr Carrick, who enjoys the repose in his city, will contribute their brilliant talents to the occasion. We have no doubt that Masonic Temple will be crowded with a refined and appreciative audience. Our friend Heartwell richly deserves the compliment this to be bestowed upon him. He is an admirable actor and an admirable man.

THE WALLACK ENTERTAINMENT.—A very large audience was in attendance upon the Wallace Matinee at Wood's Theatre yesterday afternoon. A tribute was paid to the lamented Colonel Wallace, which will be appreciated by the family of the deceased as gratefully as if we cordially bestowed by the estimable managers of Wood's Theatre. The performance throughout was exceedingly creditable. The dramatic corps, orchestra, and other officials of the Theatre who volunteered their services on the occasion, merit and will receive the praise of every friend and acquaintance of the lamented family of Colonel James S. Wallace, whose memory is cherished in so many hearts.

COL. JOHN W. FINN.—The gallant Colonel John W. Finn of the 26th Indiana Infantry, was in our city yesterday. Col. Finn has just retired from the military service, in which, during nearly four years past he has sustained a noble and unimpeachable part. Ever since the battle of Shiloh he has done valiant service in all the engagements of the Army of the Cumberland. A braver officer or more hearted gentleman does not walk the Ky. Block. We regret exceedingly that he is no longer connected with the army. In his retirement from the public service we heartily wish him success, happiness and prosperity.

THEATRE OF DEPRAVITY.—On occasion, three times now, we have visited the Theatre of Depravity, and exhibited more personal discomfort being about in the crowding here to listen to the low, vulgar, obscene and disgusting songs and dialogue, than we ever experienced in any other place. The negroes

LOUISVILLE JOURNAL.

[For the Sunday Journal.]

SMILE ON ME, DEAR ONE.

BY ANNA MARIA WELLS.

Smile on me, dearest, in despair—I am weary—
Weary of sadness that none frowns in the light;
Smile on me most when I'm heart-wrung and dreary—
Smile, though your smiling can't ease the trouble to-night!
Steal to me oft with those smiles sweet of blooming,
Whisper it low in my ear as of old—
Comes, while I hear them, my sorrows are pendent—
They cannot wound me—in tears or the cold.

Come, when the louder their visits are keeping,
Kiss me and fold to your bosom the one—
Wipe from my eyes the vain tears they've been weeping—
Make me forget all the wrongs I've known!
Come with the old love whose power is shining—
Bedew the soul's land, though tears fall like rain!
All that we relish for food will be pining
Hence while you banter and smile in vain.

Sing to me, darling, some sweet song of gladness,
Song in the twilights of soft by my side,
Song by the heart whence I bend right to madness,
Thrilling of time, one lost golden chord beside!
Come, tell to me some fine airy brain lore to banish
Thoughts that in gravitate and weigh the soul wild—
Surely to-me-fine as angels, thou'lt vanish—
Angels believe them to comfort have smiled.

Come, though at the very time the clock all hath told—
Come though on ghost or yet dark fays prowl near—
Come, though all your spare hour shall have passed—
With close hid from the world recall—never mind.
Life hath loss for me—my dearest some one is dead—
Lack, cry, moaning, no more will I pine—
Tread, dance, drink—I'll spend a time, the wretched—
Come, love, to me—to me—smile on me dear!

Make me forget every bit that thou hast—
Hope that my heart shall have blighted be the tooth—
Make me forget all my love that's been scathed—
Make me forget all but Heaven is our guest.
Leave thee, our Heaven, behind thee to interpose—
Take what lofty thou will, transport, smile—
The love of mine heart, the offering, the poesy—
For that is my love for me—How good to be Queen!
Never shall cankered heart-mind come between—
Ever our Heaven be on many morning—
Come, oh, come, dear, to me—smile on me!
Louisville, Ky., Feb. 27, 1865.

[For the Louisville Sunday Journal.]

MORE FLEABITES VS. GUSTABLES.

BY ANNA M. WELLS.

So, upon what means would thousands flock into the world of eternal happiness than those which cluster around the name of a happy home. Through, oft-repeated words of kindness and cares of love, the child is trained for life's journey but to fit us for its trials, and our wedding hearts are more and more strongly bound together as time progresses over the cradle around the graveyard. Most qualifications are requisite to make a home attractive and to association charming, and a want of largeness in many family circles often lies at their door as a matter of ignorance on the part of those who give them rent. Many people neither think about to study out the causes instead of to sources which most frequently prove themselves of a personal nature, and require immediate control. Many wives look upon their husbands, with contempt with the blessing, vainly fancy that some imaginative ideal is to be found in the husband, which is the result of their fancies, and live in the light of an ideal world, every barrier to the pleasure of home would flee with the shadow of poverty, unprovided to provide. But an elegant residence, furnished parlors, a dashing livery, an expensive array of silks and fine linen, together with plenty of servants at one's command, are not of themselves independent sources of happiness, however pleasing and convenient they may be. Wealth of purse often is naturally translated if allowed to assume the reins of power. It imagines unfeelingly upon our most sacred duties, and makes the heart grow callous of its responsibilities to others. It imagines with the most refined feelings of man's holiest nature, leading him to forget the true, allured to the base allurements of the false, and to counterfeit the only passions and emotions which weigh themselves in the scale of dollars and cents, thus bartering sterling integrity for dazzling gain.

All lovers of order have experienced that peculiar charm which is due to comfortable housekeeping. On our lord's executive how the innumerable complications of a household can be so methodically arranged as to avoid worldliness. It is a secret that comparatively few are possessed of, and one that is seldom attained except through a long continued course of discipline, encouragement and sympathy of ladies, yet it has likely existed in our midst and presence of home. Almost every dwelling, however true, poor, like all other families, is possessed of a certain amount of order. The household goods are arranged in a certain manner, and the plant, deprived of one light and warmth would, the latter supposed the self in which it has been put. A household has a thousand cares that require the constant with the befitting prudence of a useful wife. She need not necessarily perform the manual labor, but she must know that it is done, when, and as it should be. Servants are heedless thoughtless and disinterested. They never think of replacing a missing button, or of watching for the little rents or breaking threads about a garment; neither do they think of the scriptural injunction which commands the fragments to be gathered up, that nothing be lost. If a meal is delayed, the wife and not the servant is responsible to the head lord of the house. In a word, she is the intellectual power that gives life and impulse to the machinery of home; and whenever she ceases to control her domestic arrangements, or lacks the ability to do so, neglect and extravagance usually follow and want duly entices, while it is universally admitted that Mrs. —— is a bad manager, and, through her inefficiency, her husband has been ruined. The word *ruined* here may have a broad signification. It may not simply mean that his fortune has been expended. When a man of business goes out into the "world," surrounded by all of its temptations and alluring vices, with no attractive influences to restrain him from plunging into the vortex which lures him onward to destruction, degradation and folly, a moral ruin of far more portentous results almost inevitably follows. Home is forgotten, or turned to with revolting step, when only neglect can be traced from its threshold through all its windings. Indifference, coldness, unpleasant words, frowns, and habitual petulance creep stealthily in to complete the chime of misery to a once happy union. The loss of a wife's influence over her husband, or, more properly, the mutual influence which should exist between husband and wife, is irreparable in all their relations in life.

But, numberless as are a wife's duties and responsibilities, often more than her nature can well sustain, she is far from being accountable for all the dust and straws that besprinkle the unswept paths of life. He who bears the impressive title of husband is mutually responsible for the happiness of her to whom he has pledged love, honor, fidelity, and life. To her he owes his most worthy exertions and constant devotions. His daily avocations, if more taxing to his physical or mental capacity than hers may be, are far more lenient in their demands upon the virtue of patience. The young bride goes forth from her home, little heeding the cares and trials that await her, too happy in the love and confidence she reposes in him upon whose destiny her weal or woe depends to dream that life can ever attend her under his careful protection. But a new life commences, and cares gather around with such rapidity as to battle her heretofore untried skill, and daunt her most resolute energies to surmount them. She at length gives way to tears, and wonders if it will always be so. Beware, inexperienced husband, as you enter your domicile, to find tears where you expected only smiles. It is, perchance, the wife's first trial. She is anxious for your return, for she needs some one to pity and soothe her, that she may thereby grow strong to contend with the realities of life. Her mother understands it all, but she is far away now, and the wife turns to you for consolation, half trusting and half fearing you will misinterpret her feelings. One cold look, a frown, or an ungnarded word may destroy her confidence in you, or chill the young love-germ you have implanted in her girlish heart, and thus dwarf your fair prospects of happiness forever. Accord to her that noble, manly sympathy it is the gift of your nature to possess. Manhood should be strong to bear with the frailties of woman's nature—ever ready to yield sympathy as a cordial for all her sorrows and grievances. Then shall love beget love, and heart speak to heart as doth the angels to the soul.

In contemplating the pleasures of home, one should always choose a companion intellectually; that is, one with tastes, habits, culture, customs, disposition, and character in conformity with their own. Affection cannot long exist where there are no responsive sympathies. Lives that must be identified must first be assimilated.

Another channel that turns its course to the formation of home happiness is the choice of friends. This is a subject that will admit of careful study. The friends of each party should invariably be the friends of both, and guests who would prove uncongenial or in any way disagreeable to either should be intrudoced by neither. It is an injustice to one's self to spend valuable time in supporting trivial or formal acquaintances in which no depth of friendship can exist. Friends should always be remunerative, not in dollars and cents, but in cheerful, instructive, and friendly companionship.

Jealousy is a monster that should never be allowed to lift its hydra head between two whom God hath made one. Many a heart, could it tell its secret tale of woe, would have to acknowledge this as a secret cause of its unhappiness. An unyielding confidence should naturally exist and be worthily maintained. One should be none the less social with their friends of either sex because married. To marry does not mean to take the veil, or to be expelled from the world. On the contrary one party should not habitually indulge in going out for social pastime or pleasure unattended by the other. Man's sphere is less refined than that of woman's, and yields him a broader scope of enjoyment. If a wife is compelled by force of circumstance to perform the tasks of her household, she finds little time for rest or pleasure. She is in many instances shut within doors from day to day, too busy to go out to breathe the pure air of heaven which nature so freely gives for the physical support of all. She should be invited by her husband to walk with him during his leisure hours, to make a call upon a friend, or with some other agreeable motive to banish care and anxiety for a time that she may be the better fitted to resume them again. A constant physical tax, without the mitigating influence of a pure atmosphere, always tends to nervous debility, and consequent depression or irritability. These results, in cases of this kind, may easily be avoided, and a healthy cheer assume their place, if careful attention be given to remove the causes which produces them.

I have named but few, though by far the most prominent, obstacles in the way of home happiness; but "every heart knoweth its own bitterness," and each account to itself accordingly. It is unfortunately odd that every house has a skeleton. I have formed none in mine, and therefore believe the proverb false. Every home may be happy, in a greater or less degree, around whose altar concord of spirits cluster.

Life is short, and its pleasures few, when we cannot enjoy and appreciate our daily associations, and on live that we can at all times confidently invoke the blessing of God upon ourselves and those whom He hath given us. Hom is the church that regulates and controls our lives from day to day, through the probation of which we enter the enjoyments of the higher.

A happy home is the finest simile earth knows to heaven, and true, faithful and loving hearts are the most befitting emblems of angels.

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IDOLATRY.

BY VIRGINIA PENN.

Idolatry is a very general sin. Almost every one is prone to it. Those of a romantic turn of mind, with a fairly imagination and social nature, are sometimes led to make ideals of their friends. Personal attractions or mental endowments may delude their unsuspecting hearts, and engage their warm and undivided affections. Some make an idol of Beauty. But what is the beauty of Venus, the gracefulness of Hebe, and even the wisdom of Minerva, without a good and virtuous heart? Some make riches and glory their idols. The wise man has said, "He that hasteth to be rich hath an evil eye, and he that is proud of heart stirreth up strife." Let the man aspiring to glory and desiring to have his name enlisted among the distinguished of earth, listen to the words of God: "The Lord of Hosts hath prepared to stain the pride of all glory and to bring into contempt all the honorable of the earth." Some make Fashion their idol; at her shrine they bend and offer their hearts' oblations. To her they consecrate their richest possessions; they tamely yield to this capricious and tyrannical goddess, who regards not the comfort and happiness of her subjects. Her form they follow through its mazes of windings of a ballroom, in the opera of a gaming table, or the still more bourgeois of a drawing room. Her attractive list would often gain for many followers, whom she often betrays or lush into evil company. She follow the delusive phantom of Pleasure, in her they enshrine their whole soul. In her company they spent away their most joyous hour, and in her they bury their fondest hope—though she "is frail as flower and fleeting as the gale." Some lavish their fondest affection on their children; some on their books. The last recluse themselves from society and devote their energies and strength to the acquisition of knowledge; their close confinement and abstemious course soon debilitate their physical powers, and they become sickly devotees to literature. The amateur makes the fine arts his idol. He travels about to gratify his cultivated mind, to improve his refined taste, and select specimens of virtue. But what, we may ask, is the result of pursuing the worship of these idols? Friends that engage the heart and secure the affections that appear as gentle counsellors, that by their kindness banish sad sorrows of the past, and give enjoyment to the present, may desert us, or, like the fair lily, may wither and droop and die. The man of ambition considers not "earth's highest station ends in, here he lies; and dust to dust concludes his song." The votary of pleasure attains but transient enjoyments. Earthly pleasures come like dazzling meteors, that attract notice and admiration, then make a momentary flight, leaving all in obscurity and darkness. Like meteors they make the gloom more perceptible by the shortness of their duration, the beauty and brilliancy of their appearance. If their friends may forsake, or die, if fashion banishes, pleasure deceives, and glory departs, let us give our affections "to Him in whom there is no variableness, nor shadow of turning."

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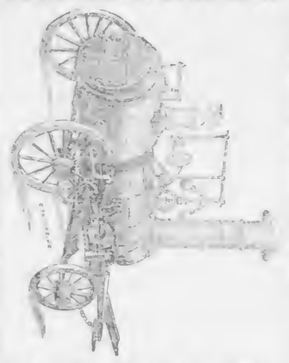

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Of the property belonging to the company, all of which is held in fee simple, 1,000 acres are covered by the richest known oil territory, and are completely underlaid with the best quality of petroleum. Wells are now being bored on the property, and the Company will soon be in a position to supply the market with its own oil.

The company are now the active owners of wells in a ready and full development of all their lands, and expect in every day to pay a handsome per cent. on the investment.

The respectability, integrity, and commercial standing of the Directors and Trustees of this company, as well as their financial interest therein, is sufficient guarantee that their operations in regard to sell their conduct of the business of this Company, will be conducive to the interests and entire benefit of all, and no money be dispended but what is in the end spent.

The stock is not put at a fictitious value, but at an actual present valuation, and need at first, will not be largely increased into many millions, to the detriment of the stockholders.

No personal liability attaches to the Stockholders as the stock is held at its actual par value, and not at a discount of one half, by which practice each Stockholder is made personally liable for all of the debts.

Some idea of the immense value of oil territory may be gathered from the following statement: The Noble et al property, West, produces with a constant stream of oil, at the rate of 60 barrels per day, equal to 21,900 barrels per annum, or over two millions dollars worth yearly. The Tarr well yields about the same, and down-wards. Of the Clark and Hasson farms, thirty-seven wells have been converted into companies, upon thirty own seven millions dollars. A great many smaller ones are included. WHY, then, should not the WHY should not the properties belonging to the company stand independent as copiously as the wells mentioned above, and will it not be made as valuable as any of them?

DIVIDEND AND CALCULATIONS.

Dividends will be declared on the stock as soon as the company's finances will permit, and will be paid quarterly on the first day in January, April, July, and October, free of charge. All stockholders, as well as all to will be treated alike, and receive the dividends on the same terms. Arrangements are being made to have dividends payable in this country, Canada, or Europe, as the stockholder may select, in gold, or produce of any kind, will be divided among the stockholders.

Circulars and pamphlets, containing every information, will be furnished on application at the office of the company, No. 139 Pearl st., Hanover square, New York, and of JOHN S. GILES, Treasurer, No. 171 Canal street, New York or of either of the Trustees above.

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Petroleum, Coal Oil, or Rock Oil.

IN REGIONS OF COUNTRY WHERE IT EXISTS it is more generally found upon the surface of rocks, in small quantities, and most frequently mixed with, or covering, the surface of springs of water. Its color is dark brown, and it is of different consistency, from a thin fluid to a thick substance resembling tar. Its smell is very strong, and it is inflammable. Petroleum is found in many countries, and has been known from the earliest ages. Its medicinal properties are highly esteemed by the Indians of North America, who procure it from springs in their country, and sell it to the white people for a high price. It is used by them as a liniment for rheumatic pains, and is also taken internally as a purgative. Petroleum is found in Canada, Italy, Persia, Germany, and in many parts of the United States. It is found in the state of New York, in Seneca county, about seven miles from the village of Ovid, and also in Cattaraugus county, in the town of Ischua, about twenty miles from Ellicottville. It is found in Kentucky, on the Cumberland river, about fifty miles above Burkesville, and also on Green river, in Edmonson county. It is found in Virginia, on the Great Kanawha river, about thirty miles above Point Pleasant. It is found in Ohio, on the Muskingum river, about ten miles above Marietta. It is found in Pennsylvania, in Venango county, about three miles from Franklin, and also in Crawford county, about eight miles from Meadville. It is found in Tennessee, on the Cumberland river, about fifty miles above Nashville. It is found in Missouri, on the Osage river, about one hundred miles above its mouth. It is found in Arkansas, on the Washita river, about one hundred miles above Washita. It is found in Texas, on the Sabine river, about one hundred miles above Sabine Pass. It is found in Louisiana, on Bayou Rapides, about twenty miles above Alexandria. It is found in Mississippi, on Bayou Pierre, about twenty miles above Grand Gulf. It is found in Alabama, on the Tombigbee river, about twenty miles above Demopolis. It is found in Georgia, on the Chattahoochee river, about twenty miles above Columbus. It is found in Florida, on the Appalachicola river, about twenty miles above Columbia. It is found in South Carolina, on the Pedee river, about twenty miles above Cheraw. It is found in North Carolina, on the Cape Fear river, about twenty miles above Fayetteville. It is found in Virginia, on the James river, about twenty miles above Richmond. It is found in Maryland, on the Potomac river, about twenty miles above Washington. It is found in Pennsylvania, on the Susquehanna river, about twenty miles above Harrisburg. It is found in New Jersey, on the Delaware river, about twenty miles above Trenton. It is found in